The tenderer should quote specific rates for each item of work, both in words and figures. The rates quoted should hold good till the work is completed. It should be inclusive of all taxes such as the Sales-tax, etc., payable as per rules or other taxes that are leviable from time to time.

In case of any accident to the labour employed the accepted tenderer should pay compensation to the injured as per rules, failing which, the amount will be deducted out of his claims and paid to the injured.

For items of works not provided for in the estimate at the time of tender, minimum current schedule of rates will be paid for such items. For other items rates as per data got up based on the minimum current schedule will be allowed.

The work should be taken up within a week from the date of acceptance of tender duly executing the agreement and should be completed within one year with uniform progress every month. In case the work is not completed in time, penal clause of the agreement for the short progress will be enforced.

Final acceptance of the tender rests with the Superintending Engineer who will not bind himself to accept the lowest or to furnish any reasons thereto.

The income-tax clearance certificate is to be enclosed along with the tender and tenders received without the certificate are liable to be rejected.

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MALAVALLI DIVISION, MANDYA.

Notification dated 23rd September 1953.

Sealed tenders will be received in the Office of the Executive Engineer, Malavalli Division, Mandya up to 4 P.M. on 29th June 1953, for "Providing Water supply and Sanitary fittings, etc., to the Combined Dispensary Building at Maddur"

1. The contractor shall quote each individual items of work both in words and figures in the estimates and the rates quoted shall hold good till the works are completed. The rates quoted should include provision for payments of sales-tax, royalty or any tax due to Government.

2. Monthly progress should not be less than Rs..... and the work should be completed in all respects within the stipulated period.

3. No conditional clause will be accepted.

4. No cheques will be accepted for earnest money and no request for the adjustment of amount due by the Government can be entertained.

5. Estimates and other particulars regarding Drawings, etc., can be had for inspection in the Office of the Executive Engineer, Malavalli Division, Mandya on all working days between 2 P.M. and 5 P.M.

6. The successful contractor shall bind himself to abide by the departmental rules and specifications in force and shall execute the necessary *mutchalika* within seven days from the date of intimation of acceptance of his tender, failing which, his tender will be cancelled unconditionally and his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. Tenders will not be considered unless they are in the prescribed form, which will be supplied on payment of Re. 0-4-0 at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Malavalli Division, Mandya.

8. Each tender should be accompanied by a Treasury Chellan for Rs. 650 as earnest money paid to the Government Treasury under "S—Remittances—Payments into Treasury by P.W. Officers" (Malavalli Division).

9. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Government. For non-tendered items of work, the minimum schedule rates, will be given, if the items are scheduled items. Otherwise, data rates arrived at with reference to minimum schedule with 10 per cent Contractor's profit on non-Schedule items will be given. Contractor's profit will not be allowed on the cost of materials supplied by the Department.

10. The cost as per current rate of cement and steel or value at the controlled rates at the time of execution will be recovered from the bills in case they are supplied departmentally. The materials can be had from the nearest Departmental Stores. An additional ten per cent on the cost of the materials supplied from the Department will be charged as centage.

11. Reserve and earnest money deposits will be repaid only after the settlement of final bill.

12. For bailing out water, the Department does not take the responsibility in supplying the machines, etc., The contractors may quote rate for bailingout water (including machinery, etc.).

13. Tendered contractors have to pay compensation to the disabled workmen working under them for any injury or death caused or occurred during the execution of this work, failing which, the amount will be deducted from the bills and paid to the injured or to the legal heirs of the deceased.

14. The term "Specification" mentioned either in the schedule or in the estimate in the notified items would mean "Specific" items of work to be done according to the instructions of the Public Works Department with reference to design, calculations, etc., furnished during execution and no higher rates than tendered ones will be paid.

15. The Department does not undertake to supply lorries to the contractor.

16. Quantities given in the notification and schedule are approximate and are liable to alterations. No extra rates will be allowed for such alterations.

17. The works should not be sublet.

18. The contractor will have to make his own arrangements for water required for the work, scaffolding materials, conveying of materials, approach road to quarries, sand bags and necessary precautions from flood damages. No extra amount will be paid for any of the above items.

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Notification. —

Sealed tenders will be received in the Office of the Executive Engineer, Malavalli Division, Mandya, up to 4 P.M. on 3rd October 1953, for the following work:—

Constructing R.C.C. Foot Bridge to connect Sivasamudram Island with the left Bank of Cauvery River.

(1) The contractor shall quote for each individual item of works both in words and figures in the estimates and the rates quoted shall hold good till the works are completed. The rates quoted should include provision for payments of sales-tax, royalty or any tax due to Government.

(2) Monthly progress should not be less than Rs. 2,500 and the work should be completed in all respects within four months from the date of acceptance of tender.

(3) No conditional clause will be accepted.

(4) No cheques will be accepted for earnest money and no request for the adjustment of amount due by the Government can be entertained.

(5) Estimates and other particulars regarding rates, etc., can be had for inspection in the Office of the Executive Engineer, Malavalli Division, Mandya, on all working days between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. (9 A.M. and 12 NOON on Saturdays).

(6) The successful contractor shall bind himself to abide by the departmental rules and specifications in force and shall execute the necessary *mutchalika* within seven days from the date of intimation of acceptance of his tender, failing which, his tender will be cancelled unconditionally and his earnest money will be forfeited.

(7) Tenders will not be considered unless they are in the prescribed form, which will be supplied on payment of Re. 0-4-0 at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Malavalli Division, Mandya.

(8) Each tender should be accompanied by a Treasury Chellan for Rs. 3,675 as earnest money paid at a Government Treasury under "S. Remittances—Payments into Treasury by P.W. Officers" (Malavalli Division).

(9) The final acceptance of the tenders will rest with the Government. For non-tendered items of work, the minimum schedule rates will be given if the items are scheduled items. Otherwise, data rates arrived at with reference to minimum schedule with 10 per cent contractor's profit on non-schedule items will be given. Contractor's profit will not be allowed on the cost of materials supplied by the Department.

(10) The cost as per current rate of cement and steel or value at the controlled rates at the time of execution will be recovered from the bills in case they are supplied